

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Madison, the county seat of Lake County, is a progressive business community which relies on a diverse industrial base, agriculture, quality health care and a wide variety of retail businesses; and,

Whereas, Madison is home to Dakota State University, a nationally recognized institution of higher education celebrating its 125th Anniversary; and,

Whereas, Madison promotes tourism through area attractions such as Lake Herman State Park, Prairie Village, the Smith Zimmerman Museum and the John Green Art Studio; and,

Whereas, Madison encourages recreation through destinations at Lake Madison, Lake Herman, the Community Center and eight public parks; and,

Whereas, Now, state government is going on the road to the people of Madison and the surrounding area in a unique program called "Capital for a Day;" and,

Whereas, "Capital for a Day" is designed to provide a local forum whereby an exchange of ideas, information, and concerns among the governor, cabinet officials, representatives for the private business sector, local elected officials, special interest groups, and the general public can occur:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 19, 2006, as

MADISON "CAPITAL FOR A DAY"

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second Day of March in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Six.



M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:



Chris Nelson, Secretary of State